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Holding a Criminal Term

Grand Jury Sworn in on November 28, 2011

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	Criminal No: 2011 CF1 4387
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v.	:	Violations:
	:	22 D.C. Code, Sections 2101, 4502;
SHARROD S. PEPPERS	:	22 D.C. Code, Sections 401, 4502;
PDID: 598-336	:	22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(b);
	:	22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(a)
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	:	(First Degree Murder While Armed
	:	(Premeditated); Possession of a Firearm During
	:	a Crime of Violence or Dangerous Offense;
	:	Assault With Intent to Kill While Armed;
	:	Carrying a Pistol Without a License Outside the
	:	Home)

The Grand Jury charges:

FIRST COUNT:

Sharrod S. Peppers, within the District of Columbia, while armed with a firearm, purposely and with deliberate and premeditated malice, killed Rodney Bean by shooting him with a firearm on or about October 30, 2010, thereby causing injuries from which Rodney Bean died on or about October 30, 2010. (First Degree Murder While Armed (Premeditated), in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Sections 2101, 4502 (2001 ed.))

SECOND COUNT:

On or about October 30, 2010, within the District of Columbia, Sharrod S. Peppers possessed a firearm while committing the crime of first degree murder while armed as set forth in the first count of this indictment. (Possession Of a Firearm During Crime Of Violence Or Dangerous Offense, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(b) (2001 ed.))

THIRD COUNT:

On or about October 30, 2010, within the District of Columbia, Sharrod S. Peppers, while armed with a firearm, assaulted John Doe, a person whose identity is known to the grand jury, with intent to kill him. (Assault With Intent To Kill While Armed, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Sections 401, 4502 (2001 ed.))

FOURTH COUNT:

On or about October 30, 2010, within the District of Columbia, Sharrod S. Peppers possessed a firearm while committing the crime of assault with intent to kill while armed as set forth in the third count of this indictment. (Possession Of a Firearm During Crime Of Violence Or Dangerous Offense, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(b) (2001 ed.))

FIFTH COUNT:

On or about October 30, 2010, within the District of Columbia, Sharrod S. Peppers, did carry, openly or concealed on or about his person, in a place other than his dwelling place, place of business or on other land possessed by him, a pistol, without a license issued pursuant to law. (Carrying a Pistol Without a License (Outside Home or Place of Business), in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 4504(a) (2001 ed.))

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A TRUE BILL:

Foreperson. *Anne Esposito*